Grammar videos: The past simple – irregular verbs – exercises

1. Check your grammar: true or false – past simple irregular verbs

Are these sentences *True* or *False*?

1.	To form the past simple, we add *-ed* to the end of regular verbs.	*True*	*False*
2.	There are many different types of endings of irregular verbs in the past simple.	*True*	*False*
3.	We use *did + not + infinitive* to form past simple negatives with all types of verbs.	*True*	*False*
4.	We use *did + subject + infinitive* to form past simple questions with all types of verbs.	*True*	*False*
5.	There are clear rules about the endings of past simple irregular verbs.	*True*	*False*
6.	You have to learn all the different irregular verb forms of the past simple.	*True*	*False*

2. Check your grammar: multiple choice – past simple irregular verbs

Choose the correct words to complete the sentences.

1.	We_____about the storm on the news.	hear heard
2.	They_____that it was my birthday.	find out found out
3.	The waiter_____us the menu to look at.	bring brought
4.	I didn't_____very well last night.	sleep slept
5.	Did you_____your coat in the cafe?	leave left
6.	It was so cold that the pipes_____.	freeze froze

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7. She didn't_____us what to do for homework. tell / told

8. He_____bad about failing the test. feel / felt

3. Check your grammar: gap fill – past simple irregular verbs

Put the irregular verb in the past simple tense to fill the gaps.

1. I_____(buy) some food for lunch.
2. Who_____(meet) you at the airport?
3. We all_____(have) the same idea.
4. _____(do) you speak to Sophie?
5. I_____(see) the weather forecast earlier.
6. He_____(give) us a lift into town.
7. She_____(read) three books in one week!
8. They_____(take) a taxi to the hotel.

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